

Pertaining to the transition to all digital transmission of television, I would just like to say that the sooner the better. In my experience with people that I know, that if their existence TV goes on the blink, they are replacing it with inexpensive analog TV's in anticipation of the change over and then will buy the digital set when they actually know the transition will actually take place. My point is that setting a dead line lets the consumer know how to plan his or her next purchase of a TV set. Delaying decision on a fix date for the transition delays peoples planning.

Thanks,

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